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Ms. Cheryl Collins Program Manager, Docket Operations U.S. Department of Transportation 1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE Room W12-140 Washington, DC 20590

Application of EW Discover GmbH (Docket DOT-OST-2021-0081)

Dear Ms. Collins:

On August 13, 2021, Condor Flugdienst GmbH ("Condor") filed an unauthorized "Sur-Reply" in the above-referenced docket. This follows "Comments" Condor filed in the same docket on July 26, 2021. EW Discover GmbH ("EW Discover") submits this letter to notify the Department that it does not intend to respond further to Condor's misguided and irrelevant serial filings, which are a transparent attempt to delay approval of EW Discover's application.

EW Discover has applied for statements of authorization for other Lufthansa Group carriers to place their codes on EW Discover's U.S. flights. Such codesharing is within the scope of rights available to EW Discover under the applicable "open skies" air transport agreements. These agreements also require the Department to approve the application with minimum procedural delay. EW Discover therefore requests prompt Department approval so that it may commence the inter-affiliate codesharing that is the subject of its application.

Sincerely,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this date served a copy of the foregoing Letter of EW Discover GmbH by electronic mail upon the following:

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